



South African Maritime Safety Authority

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Approved Medical Practitioners.

TO SHIP OWNERS AND OPERATORS, SEAFARERS, MARITIME TRAINING INSTITUTIONS, EXAMINERS AND PRINCIPAL OFFICERS

Marine Notice No. 17 of 2016 is cancelled

Summary

This marine notice lists the training institutions and programs that have been accredited in terms of the *Merchant Shipping (Eyesight and Medical Examinations) Regulations, 2004, as amended*

1. The Merchant Shipping (Eyesight and Medical Examinations) Regulations, 2004, as amended, (the Regulations) requires that SAMS approve Medical Practitioners for the purposes of conducting medical examinations of seafarers. It also requires that that SAMS publishes a Marine Notice with a list of all approved medical practitioners.
2. Accordingly, SAMS publishes the lists of accredited institutions on its website on a regular basis. The lists can be found by following the links provided below;
 - 2.1. Organised by Practice - <http://www.samsa.org.za/document/name-practice>
 - 2.2. Organised by Area - <http://www.samsa.org.za/document/area>
3. Enquiries regarding approved medical practitioners may be directed to the Chief Examiner via e-mail to exams@samsa.org.za.

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